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At a meeting called by the Miners of Dead Wood Basin for the adoption of Mining Laws for the camp on the 16th day of August A D 1867 the following were the Laws adopted

On motion Mr. Nathan Smith was elected Chairman

On motion Mr Hercules Taylor was elected Secretary of said meeting.

On motion the name of this district is called Dead Wood District No 1

On motion each and every miner is entitled to hold by location one River. one Creek. one Gulch. one Bar. and one Hill claim

On motion a River claim shall be 200 feet up and down the river and extend from bank to bank

Creek claims shall be from the rise of — to the rise of the bed rock on each side and two hundred [200] feet up and down the Creek

On motion Gulch claims shall be three hundred [300] feet up and down the Gulch. and extend 100 feet from the center of the gulch each way

Bar claims shall be two hundred [200] feet front commencing at the termination of a Creek or Gulch claim and running back to the rise of the rock of Hill or Mountain

Hill claims shall be two hundred [200] feet front commencing at the base of the hill and running to the Summit

On Boston all dry gulches or Gulches not over Three hundred (300) feet long from the Terminus of a Creek or Gulch Claim shall be considered as belonging to the hill

On Boston all Creek and Gulch Claims shall have a Stake drove on each end

On Boston Bar and Hill Claims shall have a Notice on the front of their Claim

On Boston Creek and Bar Claims are Considered as laid over unless there is 800 Inches of water running over them.

On Boston Gulch and Hill Claims are Considered as laid over unless there is thirty (30) Inches of water to be had on the Claim, if it can be procured within the Distance of a Mile

On Boston each Claim Shall be represented one day in Seven (7) and any Miner who Shall do any of the following work shall be considered as representing said Claim viz Sawing Lumber for Mining purposes, building Cabin or digging a ditch for the use of said Claim or Claims

On Boston that on the Revision or adoption of all Laws in this District no person or persons shall vote on questions but interested Claim Owners

On Boston The Recorder Shall Receive one dollar for each and every Claim Recorded

On Boston Locators are allowed ten (10) day to have their Claims recorded. all Claims are considered

as abandoned if not recorded within the specified time

On Motion all difficulties arrising in this district relative to Claims shall be left to three disinterested men, who shall receive Six (6) dollars per day for every day spent on the case, and each party so appealing shall pay one half of such expenses

On Motion a Recorder Shall be elected in this district who shall have the Mining Laws in his keeping for the inspection of all Miners

On Motion those laws take effect on and after the 17 day of August 1867

Nomination for Recorder being in order Mr William Bartee was nominated and on Motion Mr Bartee was unanimously Elected Recorder of this district

On Motion.

all Miners present shall append their names to those Laws

Nathan Smith	Hercules Taylor
Wm E Hiland	Joe Dellenbaugh
W Bartee	W Siebrecht
A Robertson	John Voth
W W Hooton	Henry Bonshman
Jos De Grouchy	Robert Crossan
F A. Westervista	A W Smith
T C Bennter	

Nathan Smith Chairman

Herc Taylor Sect

The above are a correct copy of the adopted Laws

Recorder

at a Meeting Called by the Miners of Deadwood district which was held Nov 3rd 1868 Wm Holland was Elected Chairman and O. L. Whiting was Elected Secretary at said Meeting the following Laws were passed

Gulch Bar & Hill Claims are Laid over from the first day of ~~June~~ Nov of Each year until the first day of May following

River & Creek Claims are Laid over from the first day of Nov of Each year until the first day of July following

On motion the Meeting adjourned

Wm Holland Chairman
O. L. Whiting, Secretary

At a meeting of the miners of Dead Wood Dist No 1 the following laws were adopted.

On motion of Mr Holland Mr was elected as Chairman and Knapp was elected as Secretary —

Moved and seconded that River Claims be laid over until the first of September — Carried

Moved and seconded that Brummer creek be layed over one year from the first of July next — also Carried

On motion of Mr Holland D C Wadsworth was elected Recorder

On motion the meeting adjourned —

Dead Wood June 27th 1868

Chairman
Knapp Secretary

At a meting of the miners of Deadwood District No 1 the foweing laws wer pased
On motion Mr J. C. Mendenwood was
Elected Chairman — and Geo. Wad.
Elected as Secty On motion all Creek
Claims Shall Extend four Hundred
(400) feet up and down the Creek Carri-
ed. On motion George Wise was
Elected Recorder — On motion the
Meeting Adjourned
Deadwood September 3" 1876

J. C. Mendenwood Chairman
George Wise Secretary